

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Torben SOGAARD-ANDERSEN Confirmation No.: 5142
Application No.: 10/537,713 Group Art Unit: 3738
Filing Date: June 3, 2005 Examiner: S. J. J. GHERBI
For: METHOD FOR PREVENTION OF A Attorney Docket No.: 81421-4045
PARASTOMAL HERNIA IN A PATIENT

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

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It is respectfully requested that the time for responding to the Office Action mailed July 12, 2007 be extended for a period of one (1) month from October 9, 2007, to and including today, November 9, 2007.

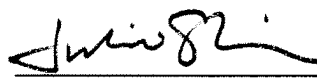
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